

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Department of Culture – Grants-in-aid – to Buddhist Society of India, A.P., Hyderabad - Rs.2.00 lakh for celebrations of Buddha Jayanthi on Visakha Poornima and Dhamma Chakra Pravartana day on Ashada Poornima at Hyderabad - Funds raised by way of re-appropriation- Administrative sanction Accorded - Orders - Issued.

YOUTH ADVANCEMENT, TOURISM & CULTURE (CA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 47,

DATED: 21- 07-2010

Read the following:-

1. From the General Secretary, The Buddhist Society of India, A.P., Hyderabad representation dated 24-02-2010
2. G.O.Rt.No. 2823, Finance (B.G. III) Dept., Dt. 09-06-2010.

ORDER:-

In the reference 1st read above, the General Secretary, the Buddhist Society of India, A.P., Hyderabad has stated that they are organizing “Buddha Jayanthi” on Vaisakha Poornima in the month of May, 2010 and “Dhamma Chakra Pravartana Day” on Aashada Poornima, in the month of July, 2010. All Buddhists devotees and like minded people all over the State are participating in the celebrations and requested to grant an amount of Rs.12.00 lakhs towards Celebration of “Buddha Jayanthi” and Rs. 8.00 lakhs towards Celebration of “Dhamma Chakra Pravarthana Day” by creating a separate head of account in the Budget provision of Tourism and Culture Department, every year.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Finance (B.G. III) Dept., have issued orders reappropriating the funds for an amount of Rs. 2.00 lakhs (Rupees Two lakhs only) by creating new head for the purpose of celebration of Buddha Jayanthi the following head of account:

Major, Minor, Sub and Detailed Head of Appropriation	Existing Modified Appropriation	<u>Modification Sanctioned</u> (+) Increase (-) Decrease		Revised Modified Appropriation	Remarks
Head of Account to be Decreased 2205 Art and Culture M.H.001 Direction and Adminsitration G.H.11Normal State Plan S.H.(01) Headquarters Office – Directorate of Culture Affairs 500 Other charges 503 Other Expenditure	2,63,78		2,00	2,61,78	A
Head of Account to be Increased 2205 Art and Culture M.H.102 Promotion of Arts and Culture G.H.11Normal State Plan S.H. (20) Celebration of Buddha Jayanti 310 Grants-in-aid 312 Others Grants-in-aid	0	2,00		2,00	B

3. Government, after careful examination of the request of the General Secretary, Buddhist Society of India, A.P., Hyderabad hereby accord sanction for an amount of Rs.2.00 lakh (Rupees Two lakh only) as grant-in-aid every year for the celebrations of Buddha Jayanthi on Vaisaka Poornima and Dhamma Chakra Pravartana day on Ashada Poornima at Hyderabad as Buddhist culture is part and parcel of the grand and multi-faceted Telugu culture.

4. The expenditure sanctioned in para 3 shall be met from the newly created Head of Account an indicated in para 2 above.

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5. The Director of Culture, A.P., Hyderabad, is requested to draw and disburse the above sanctioned amount to Buddhist Society of India, A.P., Hyderabad and furnish the compliance report to the Government.
6. The General Secretary, Buddhist Society, is requested to furnish the utilization certificate and audited financial statements to the Director of the Culture, AP, Hyderabad.
7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (Expr.GAD-II) Department vide their U.O.No.13750/147/Expr.GAD-II/2010, dated 14-6-2010.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**Dr. S. CHELLAPPA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To
The Director of Culture, Kala Bhavan,
Saifabad, A.P., Hyderabad-500 004.
The General Secretary, Buddhist Society of India,
AP. Hyderabad.

Copy to:-
The Pay & Accounts Officer, A.P., Hyderabad.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P., Hyderabad.
The Finance (Expr.GAD-II) Department.
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// FORWARDED BY: ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER